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BALANCED NEWS, FEARLESS VIEWS

'Ferdie's' rains drown 2, soak Luzon, Metro

By TJ Burgonio, DJ Yap and Inquirer Luzon Bureaus

A TROPICAL depression passing off the country's northern tip merged with a low-pressure area and enhanced the seasonal monsoon, bringing extremely bad weather and the attendant chaos to much of Luzon yesterday.

Two people drowned and six others were reported missing as Tropical Depression "Ferdie" struck northern Luzon, inundating several provinces, including Metro Manila, with floodwaters.

Heavy rain caused rivers, creeks and canals to overflow, triggering flash

FERDIE'S A10



NECTAR OF LIFE The bees do it. That is what nature dictates them to do—to pollinate flowers for fertilization and reproduction. This shot was taken at a farm in R.T. Lim, Zamboanga Sibugay.

State of P-Noy's wish list

More taxes from mining, 'sins'

P-Noy Report Card

The Inquirer looks back to the promises President Aquino made to his "Boss"—the Filipino people—in his State of the Nation Address last year. This is the Inquirer's report.

The Promises 2011	Grade
Fight poverty / continue conditional cash transfer program	👍
Sustain economic momentum to earn credit ratings upgrade for the country	👍
File the government's first major case against the corrupt and their accomplices	👍
Investigate the P1-billion Pagcor coffee scam	👍
End over-importation of rice / promote rice self-sufficiency	👍
Enhance security / modernize military and police equipment	👍
Build housing projects for police / military personnel	👍
Bring the West Philippine Sea dispute to the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea	👎
End the culture of "wangwang" / entitlement	👍
Investigate the anomalous road project in Region 4B district and blacklist all contractors engaged in graft and corruption	👍 👎
Improve military pension system	👎
Give due compensation to martial law victims	👎
Grant just compensation / benefits to household help	👎

INQUIRER/MC 2012

By Norman Bordadora

AN INCREASE in the government's share in the billions of pesos in revenues from mining and the passage of the sin tax bill are among the laws President Aquino will ask Congress to pass despite fast-approaching midterm elections.

Taxes and other revenue proposals are unpopular as elections draw near, and Mr. Aquino's majority allies in Congress are facing their first elections since he came to office two years ago, but the government needs to raise more revenue to finance its development and social programs.

Two Palace officials spoke about President Aquino's legislative wish list two days before he was to address a joint session of Congress to report on the state of the nation.

Mr. Aquino is expected to present his legislative priorities during his speech, but Budget Secretary Florencio Abad and Presidential Legislative Liaison Manuel Mamba didn't say if the bills they mentioned would be included in the State of the Nation Address, whose text is closely guarded until minutes before delivery.

"That will be subject to an

STATE A11

OK all the way, thumbs down on quite a few

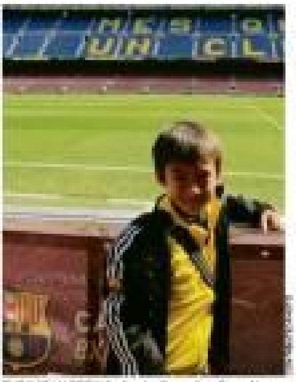
By Inquirer Research and Editorial Group

FIGHTING stance vs poverty: Conditional cash transfer program

As of June 27, 2012, the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program has reached out to a total of 3,014,586 families, a little more than the 2012 target of 3 million. Of this figure, Mindanao has the highest number of beneficiaries totaling 1,294,946, followed by Luzon (1,030,078) and Visayas (689,562).

Between January and February 2012, the program reported a compliance rate of 95.89 among mothers who visited healthcare centers for checkups and immunization of their babies; 97.37 percent among mothers who brought their kids to healthcare centers for deworming; 95.15 attendance rate in day-care center among kids; and 96.48 attendance rate for primary and secondary

OK ALL A20



THE DREAM BEGINS Sandro Reyes, 9, at Camp Nou, home turf of FC Barcelona with its motto més que un club.

Filipino kid kicks his way into football greatness

By Cedelf P. Tupas

STARTING September, when most kids his age are in school, 9-year-old Sandro Reyes will be leaving the comforts of home in Manila to pursue his dream of football greatness in the school run by one of the biggest—and most successful—clubs in the world, FC Barcelona in Spain.

It will be a long journey for him to become the player he dreams to be, but at the rate things have gone for the fourth grader at Southridge, the possibilities seem endless. "I'm excited," Sandro told the Inquirer after news broke of him going to FCB Escola—the Barcelona football school. "I want to play for FC Barcelona someday."

Known for producing Spain's finest talents, Barcelona, popularly known as "Barca," is

FILIPINO A6

'I hope this man won't shake our faith in God'

AURORA, Colorado—"I hope this evil act, that this evil man doesn't shake people's faith in God," a bereaved mourner said.

A Colorado suburb shocked and saddened by a deadly shooting spree at a midnight unveiling of the latest Batman movie grieved for the victims while authorities sought a motive and a safe way to reach clues inside the suspect's apartment, still apparently rigged with an elaborate booby trap.

Authorities said that four weapons the attacker used in his killing spree at the packed theater near Denver were purchased by the suspect from retail gun stores in Colorado in the last two months.

Police grimly went door to door late Friday with a list of the victims killed in the worst mass shooting in the US in re-

I HOPE A19

You are what you post on Facebook

By Tarra Quismundo

WHAT you do on Facebook could give you away.

A new study led by a Filipino journalism doctoral student found how Facebook habits could measure personality types and predict inclinations—a positive development for targeted advertising and political campaigns.

YOU ARE A19



WHAT'S INSIDE

Late Asean statement comes up short

PHNOM PENH—The Association of Southeast Asian Nations (Asean) belatedly agreed Friday on a common statement on how to handle conflicting territorial claims in the West Philippine Sea (South China Sea), but it failed to deal with the crux of last week's disagreements.

No mention of disputes

Divisions underscored

Indonesian lobbying

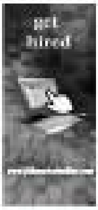
COA warns vs 'thoughtless' planning after Zambo project goes bust

By Leila B. Salaverria

Unwarranted spending

Insufficient funds

Cayetano: Sarmiento can't be Chief Justice







Case against Pantranco continues, says lawyer

Overseas voters' listup is down

By Philip C. Tubeza

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The Daily Gospel

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Mary Mediatrix Medical Center launches first 1.5 Tesla MRI in Batangas

In celebration of its **54th anniversary, Mary Mediatrix Medical Center** - a PhilHealth accredited Center of Excellence and 150-bed Tertiary Level IV Hospital in Lipa, Batangas - underscores its commitment to provide superior yet affordable healthcare to the residents of Lipa and other high-growth areas in Batangas, Laguna, Quezon, and Mindoro, with the launch of Siemens MAGNETOM ESSENZA MRI System.

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Filipino kid kicks in





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Road less traveled

Like American Idol audition

Down to 32

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Next step

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Method To Madness

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Dark night at the movies

At Large

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A hill on the Mohawk River

Commentary

Denis Murphy

> I think the Jesuits are content to be there together in that earth with the songbirds and the tiny wild daisies growing among the graves

They Said

'Fake' and 'real'

Advancing history

TALK of the TOWN

Medicines still beyond reach of many

By Oscar F. Picazo

DRUGS in the Philippines are more expensive than those in other parts of Asia and in countries of similar economic status.

Figure 1. Ratio of PH price to India price for selected medicines (2004 and 2010)

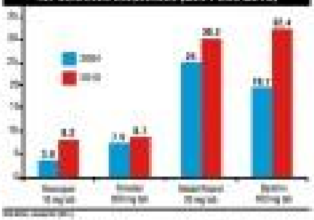
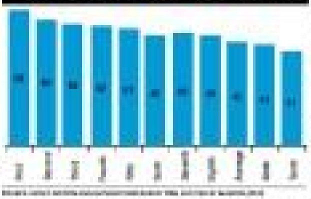


Figure 2. Percentage of cash spending on drugs to total household spending for medical care (in income deciles, 2006)



Worsening

Gains

Prices still high

Self-treatment

Onus on households

Health insurance

Lack of knowledge

Factors affecting prices

P100-B market

Table 1. Prices (in peso equivalent) of 3 drugs in PH, India and Pakistan (2008)

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Table 2. Prices (in peso equivalent) of 4 drugs in PH and India (2010, 2010)

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Table 3. Median price ratios for innovator brands and generic equivalents in PH (2002, 2005 and 2008/09)

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Table 4. Households that buy generic and branded medicines (2003 and 2008)

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Table 5. Days a lowest-paid state employee needs to work to buy one day's worth of generic medicine (2009)

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Table 6. Urban and rural poor households with and without health insurance*

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Tesda sets search for top alumni

By [illegible]

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Unemployed youth

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INQUIRER Mindanao

Ramadan's lessons for Muslim kids

By Nash B. Maulana
Contributor

AT AN EARLY age, Muslim children are taught that Ramadan is not mere food deprivation.

For 9-year-old Amir Hussien, the Islamic practice would mean a [illegible] instead of his parents' usual treat for him and his niece [illegible] to fast-food chains during daytime on weekends.

Amir's parents would also tell him to be kinder and be thankful that he did not run out of food as other children his age did in evacuation centers.

Dindo Layang, 14, said his 63-year-old grandmother had warned against her usual display of junk food to children in their small neighborhood in Datu Piang town in Maguindanao.

"It seems to me that my grandma gets stronger and healthier during Ramadan. She tells me that fasting takes heavy meals off the dining table, less meat, and with more frequent intake of fruits and bread at nighttime," Dindo said in Maguindanaon.



FILIPINO Muslims pray on the eve of Ramadan inside the Grand Mosque, also known as Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah Masjid (Muslim center of worship), in Cotabato City.

Skipping recess

Ahmed Montol Abdulaziz, 9, also got an out-of-school lesson from his father.

"My father tells me to skip recess in school if I can during Ramadan, so I could learn to fast one step at a time at an early age," the fourth grader said.

Ustadz Esmael Ebrahim of [illegible] Assembly of Darul Ifta (ADI) agreed, stressing that the upbringing of Muslim children should include getting them used to refraining from [illegible] and the conspicuous display of foods and drinks, especially during daytime of Ramadan.

"Practicing self-restraint at a young age inculcates self-discipline early in life and makes fasting easier for them at the right age, Esmael said.

That "right age" is when the children reach puberty—13 for boys and 15 for girls.

Market treats

Still, there are treats for the kids at the Ramadan night markets at the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) capitol grounds in Cotabato City where families can go to after sunset for food and some shopping.

To the delight of children, colorful neon and street lights virtually lit the nightfall at the marketplace starting Friday, the eve of the first day of fasting.

Civil society leaders and government workers joined hands in a unity prayer walk, as officials lit their way to a dinner at a mosque yard, by switching on colorful neon and lead lights at the opening of a trade fair inside the 45-hectare government capitol complex.

Acting ARMM Gov. Mujiv Hataman is also executive director of the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos.

(Editor's Note: Nash B. Maulana is on leave as a correspondent of Inquirer Mindanao. He is currently chief of the ARMM's Bureau of Public Information.)

Fasting is good for health

FROM all over the world, a total of 50 medical research papers were presented by Muslim and non-Muslim scientists and scholars of the medical practice in the First International Congress on "Health and Ramadan" in Casablanca in 1994.

Results of a medical research attributed to Turkish physician Shahid Athar, state: "(One) effect of fasting includes the lowering of blood sugar, cholesterol and of the systolic blood pressure. In fact, Ramadan fasting would be an ideal recommendation for treatment of mild to moderate, stable, noninsulin diabetes, obesity and essential hypertension."

Athar said: "Diabetics know that stress increases the blood glucose by increasing the catecholamine level, and any tool to lower the stress ... improves diabetic control. Thus, Islamic fasting during Ramadan should have a potentially beneficial effect with regard to diabetic control."

Fasting during Ramadan is one of the so-called "five pillars" of the Islamic faith.

Across the NATION

Assistant Editor: Tony Bergonia

UP Cebu library building condemned, ordered closed

By [illegible]
Inquirer Visayas

CEBU CITY—Students of the state university in Cebu suddenly found themselves without a library.

Officials of the University of the Philippines Cebu College (UPCC) condemned the four-story building that housed the university library citing as reason the danger of its collapse as a result of cracks that had been found on beams of the building's ceiling.



THE CONDEMNED library building of the University of the Philippines Cebu College

The building, which was constructed 38 years ago, also housed a conference hall and an audio visual room. It was renovated in 2008 at the cost of P3 million.

The cracks were discovered after engineers inspected the building to check if it would pass the strength requirement of having more floors added to it.

Engineer Albert Baron, officer in charge of the UP Cebu Campus Development and Maintenance Office, said the proposed expansion would have cost P30 million.

On July 18, the UPCC management ordered the building vacated for fear of an accident taking place as a result of the cracks.

Baron said the budget for the renovation of the building might be realigned to construct a new building instead, though they would take at least eight months to finish. He, however, didn't give any specific date for the start of construction.

The closure of the university library came at the "worst time," said Ceryl Baylon, a graduating mass communication student.

She said she and her classmates needed the library to do research for their thesis.

"Now, I have to spend more time and money to research on the Internet or go to other university libraries where I will have to pay an entrance fee. It's really hard to work on a thesis without a library," Baylon said.

Baron, however, said the university was taking measures not to deprive the students of the use of university facilities.

The books in the library were transferred to four areas around the university campus so the students would still have access to books and other research materials.

These areas are found at Undergraduate Building Room 203 for the math and science cluster; classroom CP4 for the management cluster; Arts and Sciences Room 209 for the political science and computer science clusters; and Interactive Learning Center for the humanities cluster.

UP Cebu Student Council chairperson [illegible] Cabatingan said the closure of the library building was both a good and a bad thing.

Cabatingan said it was good "because the administration considered the safety of the students first while providing alternative sites for the facilities in the building.

"It is bad because the building was just newly renovated and the students won't be able to optimize the use of the facility until such time that a new building [is] constructed," he said.

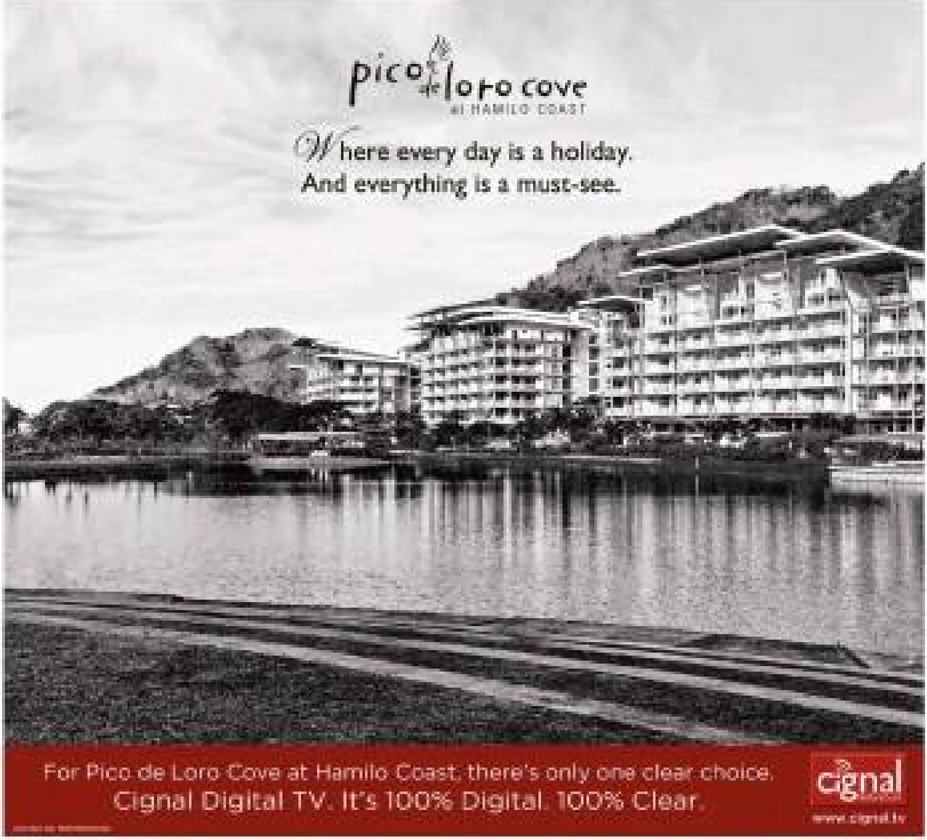
Baron explained that if the building does not pass safety tests, the school administration would convert the Arts and Sciences building lobby into a library until the new building is completed.



NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

Gov says he'll lead 'riot' if hospitals sold

Facebook gives away escapee from Baybay jail



BCDA urged to heed court order on John Hay

Takeover threats persist despite arbitration ruling



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NEWS

Paje: Vigilance needed to keep rice terraces out of endangered list

By Leila B. Salaverria

THERE is need for constant vigilance to ensure that the Cordillera rice terraces, recently removed from the endangered list of world heritage sites, would continue to remain a pristine world wonder.

Secretary Ramon Paje of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources said in a statement that Filipinos must continue to remain aware of the need to conserve and protect the cultural site and to be involved in such activities.

The rice terraces, located in the Cordilleras, were stricken off the list of endangered heritage sites after the 36th session of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (Unesco) World Heritage Committee in St. Petersburg, Russia, on June 26.

"The rice terraces are the most amazing representation of the harmonious relationship between our forefathers and nature. We cannot afford to take it easy in managing this 2,000-year-old cultural heritage. Instead, we should step up our rehabilitation efforts and improve our conservation practices," said Paje, who is also the Philippines' commissioner for Unesco.

The high-elevation terraces, said to place [illegible], were carved from the Cordillera mountains. The sculpted terraces look like giant stairs to the sky from afar.

According to Paje, the country should come up with sustained conservation measures such as limiting human settlements within the rice terraces and stopping it from agrarian reform.

Cultural treasure

He said the removal of the terraces from the endangered list was just the initial success in protecting the globally important cultural treasure.

Among the government's plans to protect the rice terraces is to offer community-based alternative livelihood to Ifugao farmers. The DENR and the departments of agriculture and agrarian reform would be working together on this, he said.

There are also plans for the public works department to improve the roads and other infrastructure in the area to boost tourism, he added.

The DENR earlier provided P5 million to the Ifugao government to fund the repair and rehabilitation of damaged terrace walls, irrigation canals and other facilities until the end of the year.

'Dying culture'

According to the DENR, the rice terraces were put on the endangered list in 2001 because of their worsening condition, which was attributed to "a dying culture of traditional practices."

It noted that efforts to restore the terraces to their original condition were also derailed by the destructive Typhoon "Juaning," which hit the country last year. Juaning caused the collapse of part of the Batad portion of the terraces.

Paje and Secretary General Virginia Miralao of the Unesco National Commission of the Philippines (Natcom) said they were thankful to the World Heritage Committee and the officials who had worked to restore the terraces and the major irrigation systems in the area.

Paje said the Natcom had worked with the DENR, DA, National Commission for Culture and the Arts, and National Mapping and Resource Information Authority in conserving the terraces.

In 'Ferdie's' wake, life goes on…



MOURNERS carry on at a wake in Pinong Tirad, Barangay Tejeros, Makati, one of several areas still under water on Saturday some time after Tropical Depression "Ferdie" had come and gone.



CHILDREN at Barangay La Paz, Makati, decide they may as well enjoy the temporary swimming pool created by torrential rains on Saturday in the wake of Ferdie.

METRO



LITTLE BOY SUCKS/MAT

Airline pilot caught selling 'shabu'

PDEA says he supplied other aviators, foreigners

By DJ Yap

FOR THIS pilot, there are other ways to get high.

Napolcom to quiz PNP on 'wang-wang' cop

By DJ Yap



ON LOCATION

QC eyes own film fest; shots must show city landmarks



Requiem for a radio drama queen

'Erap,' 'FVR,' 'Pacman,' even the late 'Dolphy' show up at Lola Sela's wake





Hostage-taker walked from Cavite to QC



Take off 'NBI@75' plates now

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2 killed after abducting lending firm employees

QC eyes own film fest

Russia, ending tolerance, prosecutes punk band



YEKATERINA Samutsevich (left), Nadezhda Tolokonnikova and Maria Alekhina, members of feminist punk group Pussy Riot sit behind bars in Moscow on July 20.

Minister: Bus bomber was not Bulgarian

WORLDBRIEFS

Judge junks largest US human trafficking case

Japan probes underreporting of radiation dosage

US panel approves drugs for cancer and myeloma

Chile to probe 61 schools for child sex abuse

10 killed in Brunei military helicopter crash

Israeli protester who torched self dies

The World

Thousands flee as Syria civil war rages

BEIRUT—Rebels pressed their guerrilla fight to topple Syria's regime deeper into the capital on Friday, ambushing troops and attacking police stations as thousands of terrified civilians fled to Lebanon and Iraq to escape some of the worst violence of the 16-month conflict.



Shattered Damascus

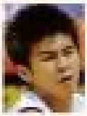
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Guerrilla war

Amid high heat, political change, this year's Ramadan may be toughest

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US five battles Argentina, Spain in key Barcelona friendlies

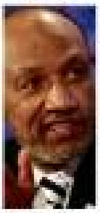


Ateneo eyes rebound after UST upset



Team PH raises flag in Olympic village today

Bin Hammam audit implicates ex-PFF chief



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Snedeker on top; Tiger prowling



After walking on edge, Pagunsan makes cut

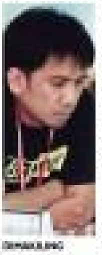
Wiggins gifts win to teammate



Yo, Ge rule ICTSI-JGFP school tilt

Royal Northwoods 2nd in Malaysia

Alabang, Eastridge triumph



Dimakiling bags 2nd GM norm


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Sunday Biz



Dusit GM finds winning combination in PH

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PRATEEK Kumar

By Margo C. Benipayo
Contributor

TAPPED to rebrand Dusit Thani Manila (DTM), Prateek Kumar was brimming with his trademark optimism when he introduced himself as the new General Manager in 2008. Dusit Thani would be known as a luxury hotel with its unique selling proposition—the culture and hospitality tradition of Thailand infused with Filipino warmth.

"I gave the spiel to my team. They said, 'Okay here's a new GM. They talk like this all the time, then after a few months, they shift out and things go back to what they were.' But I drove them. If they look forward, it looked daunting, but when they look backward, they could say it was a gratifying experience for them. He (overall) also has that sense of achievement," he said.

"Every three months they saw that. You don't have to drive them anymore. It is important that the team members must own the achievement. They must think they are responsible for it. Never make them feel that I am responsible for them because it only works while you're watching. But when you turn around, it collapses. That's what keeps me going and excited every morning," he added.

Since he took over, Dusit Thani Manila has been posting record growth in revenues and reaping a harvest of awards.

This year, Kumar went up to the stage 13 times during the Hospitality Asia Platinum Awards in Singapore to accept awards in the majority of categories, ranging from Hotel of the Year to the Best Service Excellence.

"What is in front is the result of what is at the back—the backbone. I wanted to showcase to the world what these guys are doing. We got awarded as the best housekeeping team, best front office and concierge, which are often overlooked. Others see the façade, lobby, rooms and spa. But what makes the

DUSIT B6



People, Events & Products

Petron opens business opportunities to Pinoy entrepreneurs



TWIN PUMP FILLING STATION



TYPE B FILLING STATION



TYPE A2 FILLING STATION



PLDT ALPHA ENTERPRISE, CATS MOTORS RENEW AGREEMENT

BPI AND JFC JOIN FORCES FOR THE FIRST CASHLESS PAYMENT CARD





BPI FAMILY AND FRANCORP TEAM UP TO SPARK FRANCHISE BOOM IN THE PHILIPPINES

Ateneo holds first ever Ignatian festival July 21

Charmee feminine wipes made just for woman

TV5 turns over prizes of Kapatid New Year Pabuenas to lucky winners

Rexona presents the Rexona Confidence Girls

Make the most of prime life with Tena



FEDRIGONI OPENS MANILA OFFICE

AWSEC to conduct wine courses



PHILIPPINE PRUDENTIAL RECEIVES CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FROM INSURANCE COMMISSION



PHOENIX PETROLEUM SIGNS UP WITH MAYBANK



RUFO'S FAMOUS TAPA STEPS UP EXPANSION PLANS THROUGH FRANCHISING

Qualities of a good guide

A LEADER'S WAY

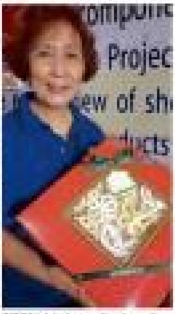
John C. Maxwell



Bayanihan spirit revived at SM

Dagupan bakeries, pastry shops survive despite stiff competition

Homegrown businesses rely on loyal clients, unique products





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OFF TO the "Opera" in Johannesburg: [illegible]



SAFARI [illegible] in Johannesburg: [illegible]

Batman here, the Phantom there—costume balls for the cosplay crowd



[illegible] Sea Princess

MUSIC moves emotions. It is one art form powerful enough to move us to tears. I recall watching Andrew Lloyd Webber's "Phantom of the Opera," the world's most successful and popular musical. Sitting in the dark, I was blown away with awe and delight at the drama the musical could evoke from me.

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> A love story with an ill-fated couple plus ghosts plus a famous chandelier. What's not to like?



PLAYFUL [illegible]



COMPANY manager Johann Kupferburger [illegible] "Phantom" costume



PEPPER Teehankee playfully posing with the wigs

Homegrown talent

[illegible]



MEDIA group and "The Phantom of the Opera" cast [illegible]



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BAMBINA Olivares and Pepper Teehankee



"THE PHANTOMS" [illegible]

South African production

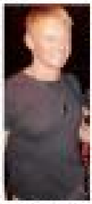
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SOUTH African market vendors selling dolls and accessories

Must-see movie

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JASON Ralph as Monsieur Andre



[illegible] Phantom's gondola



CHRISTINE's dresser



RED DEATH mask



CLAIRE Lyon as Christine



THE FAMOUS chandelier [illegible] during the musical's intermission



THEATER partners Tim Yap and Sea Princess at the "Opera"



COSTUMES and masks at the wardrobe area

Max's Corner Bakery: A New and Exciting Merienda Experience at Max's

To say that Filipinos like to eat is an understatement. We are passionate about food and we absolutely love to share it with good company. For this reason, food has become an enduring witness to the Filipino's most unforgettable conversations and personal milestones.

A meal that has captured the heart of Filipinos is the "merienda." We love this light or heavy afternoon snack because it gives us that necessary respite from stress or any activity. It also gives us a good reason to give into our cravings, whether it's that sweet or savory fix for the day.

Here's the good news for everyone. **Max's Corner Bakery** has come up with a new and exciting merienda offering in collaboration with Max's Restaurant. **"Max's Merienda Mixes"** offers a selection of merienda favorites that can be mixed and matched for only Php 95!

Not known to many, Max's Corner Bakery boasts of a rich and colorful history that dates back to the 1960's when its founder Ruby Trota baked the first batch of soft bread rolls using wood-fired oven. These delicious bread rolls instantly captured the hearts of Filipino customers dining at Max's, a flourishing restaurant at that time. Eventually, Max's Corner Bakery diversified to other delectable baked goodies that became customer favorites - from breads, to pastries and cakes, to the Filipino's favorite Caramel Bar – irresistibly soft, chewy and sweet with a nutty crunch!

"Merienda is an integral part of every Filipino's gustatory routine. With this new offering, Max's Corner Bakery seeks to create an experience that is light, fun and heartwarming for every Filipino. We want our customers to enjoy great food and the goodness of Max's Corner Bakery's home-baked goodies that are 100% made with love," shared Monette Abba, Sales, Operations and Marketing Manager for Max's Corner Bakery.

"Max's Merienda Mixes reaches out to merienda-lovers of all ages. It is not only budget-friendly, the choices of Max's Corner Bakery and Max's Merienda items are also sure to make any mouth water. Max's will no longer be just a place for a hearty breakfast, or a sumptuous lunch and dinner. It is the new place to experience delicious and indulgent afternoon snacks that are absolutely Filipino. This is a value-for-money offering that integrates the components of a fast-casual dining restaurant – comfort, quality service and exceptional food. Our customers can also enjoy unlimited wi-fi service while taking pleasure in their favorite Max's Merienda Mix," added [illegible], Media & PR Manager for Max's Group of Companies.

Merienda enthusiasts can troop to their favorite Max's Restaurant from **2:00pm to 6:00 pm** starting **July 19**. They can choose from any of Max's classic merienda dishes like **Pancit Luglug** (plain), **Pancit Canton** (small) or a petite bowl of triple-chocolate **Champorado**. Customers can pair their Max's merienda dish with their choice of Max's Corner Bakery products, like the freshly baked **Ensaimada**, topped with creamy butter, sugar and grated cheese; the melt-in-your-mouth **Cheese Roll**; or a luscious slice of **Cake Roll** with their choice of yummy long filling - chocolate, mocha, ube, mango and jelly. To complete their merienda feast at Max's, diners may choose from any **Pepsi soft-drink**, a cool glass of **Sago't Gulaman**, or a steaming cup of **Brewed Coffee**.

Max's Merienda Mixes are also available for take-out and delivery. Customers may conveniently dial Max's delivery hotline 7-9000 for quick delivery service within Metro Manila or place their orders online by logging on to **www.maxschicken.com.ph**.

With so many items to mix and match, the possibilities of having an enjoyable and appetizing merienda experience are endless! There's sure to be something for everybody! Now there is no excuse not to have merienda every day with family and friends. Head on to the nearest Max's Restaurant and try your hand in mixing and matching.

Find the perfect Merienda Mix for you only at Max's. Visit and like **www.facebook.com/maxsrestaurant** and **www.facebook.com/maxscornerbakery** to sign up for Max's and Max's Corner Bakery's fan page. Get more thrilling updates from the Filipino's most-loved brands.

About Max's Corner Bakery

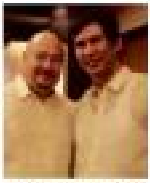
Max's Corner Bakery is the bakery brand of Max's Restaurant, one of the most enduring global Filipino brands today. Max's Corner Bakery is famous for its perennial dessert – the Max's Caramel Bar, and a score of other oven-fresh, satisfying treats that have captured the heart of Filipinos all over the world. Max's Corner Bakery's delectable product line includes a wide variety of cupcakes, [illegible] and customizable cakes, breads and pastries.











'Danding' Cojuangco finds his true calling in education

By Marge C. Enriquez



Retooling teachers

La Salle connection

St. Michael's medal

Bishops to cite virtues of St. Philomena on her feast



PURELY PERSONAL

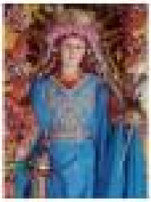
Josephine Darang

Scapular of Our Lady of Mercy

Our Lady of Ransom Parish

St. James the Apostle feast

St. James in Dapitan



Other feasts

Love and proper treatment–how families can cope with schizophrenia

ROOTS AND WINGS



Cathy Babao-Guballa

It is time to break the stigma of mental illness

Harrowing nights

Difficult family days

More at the movies

An ex has come back into his (happily married) life

Will it ease your mind and possibly save this marriage if you went and just got over this befuddlement?

EMILY'S POST

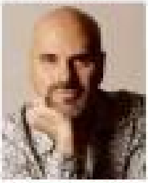


Emily A. Marcelo

New experiences await John Lloyd Cruz

There may even be a high-profile publishing deal for the actor

Dadhichi Toth



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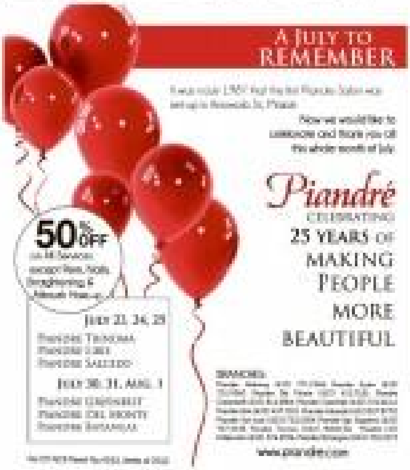
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Your Karma: Q&A with Dadhichi

Walk the talk of compassion

Walk the talk of compassion





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Sexy. Stimulating. Sage. Survivor

SHARING THE VOICE OF AGE AND WISDOM

Gilda Cordero Fernando



FOREVER 81

There's a Spaniard in my soup







The day the angels came—again



There's a Spaniard in my soup

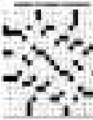


Do the five-peat, Ateneans! Do it for us senior citizens



What happened to the American Dream?





INSPIRATIONAL NIGHTS OF ART AND STYLE AT THE PODIUM











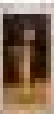






















Electrolux Philippines crowns new Wok-a-holic Kitchen Star!



Top row (left to right): Chef Jonathan Bautista, Electrolux Marketing Communications Associate Paulene Santos, Chef Bruce Lim, Electrolux Marketing Communications Assistant Manager Katrina Pimpalea, online partners Enzo Luna, Aylin Vidal and John Michael Bueno, Electrolux Product Marketing Manager Andrea Planillo and Electrolux Product Marketing Associate Ervin Tan. Bottom row (left to right): Chef Rosebud Benitez, Roland Ferrer, Wok-a-holic Kitchen Star Rigette Osoteo, Electrolux Product Marketing Assistant Manager Daryl Umali, Rosario Peñaflor and Electrolux Marketing Manager Terry Sabo

After 2 days of rigorous training at the Wok-a-holic Boot Camp and the intense challenges of the Wok-a-holic Semi-finals, only six aspiring chefs were chosen to compete in the final leg of this year's annual Electrolux cooking competition.



Chef Bruce Lim with Electrolux Wok-A-Holic Kitchen Star Champion Rigette Osoteo

In the Grand Cook-Off held recently at Cash and Carry Makati, Wok-a-holics John Mark Deriucio, Roland Ferrer, Rigette Osoteo, Rosario Peñaflor, Issa Quintos, and Georgia Shirar along with their respective online partner assistants were assigned various recipes provided by their Wok-a-holic Chef Mentors, Bruce Lim, Rosebud Benitez and Jonathan Bautista.

The chef mentors then judged the dishes along with Yummy's Assistant Food Editor Erika Tangtatco and Electrolux Philippines' General Manager Malu Estaris. The final 6 were given less than an hour to prepare, cook and plate their respective recipes. After they cooked and served their food to the judges, it was revealed that the second runner-up was Rosario Peñaflor for her Old-School Paella, while Roland Ferrer's Seafood and Vegetable Stir-fry was awarded as first runner-up. Rigette Osoteo, was awarded the coveted title of Electrolux Wok-a-holic Kitchen Star for her Chicken Coconut Stir-fry.

As this year's Wok-a-holic Kitchen Star, Rigette won an Electrolux kitchen showcase, a culinary scholarship from CCA Manila, and gifts from this year's Wok-a-holic partners. Special awards were also given at the Grand Cook-off, namely the Media's Choice award for Rigette Osoteo and the People's Choice award for Tara Cagadoc.

Wok-A-Holic Kitchen Star was made possible by Meyer, Lee Kum Kee, Biokips, GastroChef, Solane LPG, Pyrex, Corelle, Cif, and Surf Dishwashing Liquid, as well as its media partners, 96.3 Easy Rock, Yummy magazine and Good Housekeeping magazine.

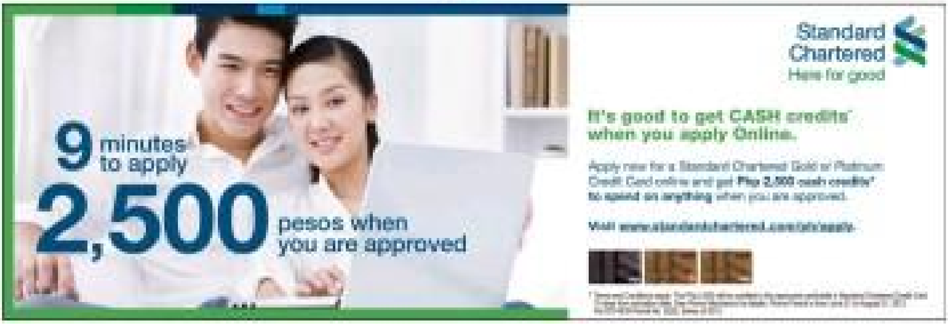


Chef Rosebud Benitez giving valuable advice during the Kitchen Star Boot Camp.

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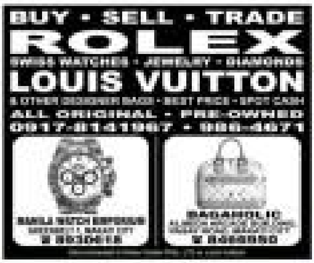


There's a science behind making the perfect ballet flat

The phenomenal success of the brand Repetto is proof that women are tired of getting backaches from wearing high heels

Text and photos by Thelma Sioson San Juan













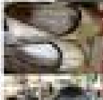


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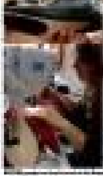


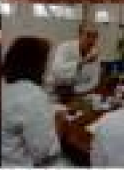








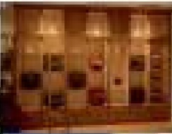


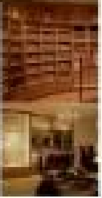
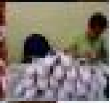











What's with all the vampire shows?

Jane Kelbley Castro



SHINE

In the US and the UK, people have actually been arrested not just for causing mayhem, but for actually biting and ripping flesh off bystanders

To the extreme

'Cannibal craze'

SUDOKU

Conceptis Sudoku

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SUNDAY CROSSWORD

PREMIER CROSSWORD/ By Frank A. Longo

FOR APARTMENT 5A

Entrance of 'conchinillo' is highlight of Spanish month in Cebu

CEBU CEBU

Jaime Picornell



Sabores de España

ENTERTAINMENT

Editor Emmie G. Velarde



Scandalous celeb confronts controversial personality



RUSHES



CHAREE Pineda

By the Entertainment Staff



SAM Milby

HEART Evangelista



From Bach to rock to disco

Fil-Am orchestra's coming gig to feature Led Zep, Queen, Manila Sound classics

ONLY IN HOLLYWOOD

Ruben V. Nepales



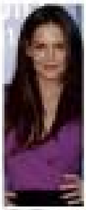


THE FILIPINO-AMERICAN Symphony Orchestra goes from Bach to rock, VST & Company and Manila Sound in concert



FASO's conductor and musical director Bob Shroder (left) and arranger-in-residence Louis Reyes

DID YOU KNOW...



HOLMES

Katie back to Broadway

From Bach to rock to disco

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Second, we are performing songs by Chicago [illegible] Earth, Wind & Fire [illegible] and VST & Company [illegible]. We are also performing a song popularized by the Queen of Disco, the late Donna Summer.

This will be Mon David's first concert with Fasa. What's in store for the audience?

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IT WILL be Fasa's [illegible] concert.

> 'It is very rare…for a symphony orchestra to perform outside the symphonic music genre'

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[illegible] "Colour My World." It's very memorable for me [illegible]

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E-mail the columnist at [illegible]@yahoo.com. Follow him at http://twitter.com/[illegible]

QC, 'City of Stars,' goes indie

Film fest's goal is to allow emerging filmmakers to create their dream movies

Seed grant

Request

Movie capital

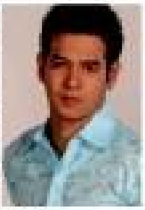
Giving back

HEARD

Scandalous celeb confronts...

Horror star

Top of Banderas



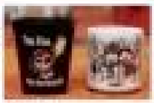
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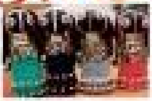
CRISTINE Reyes

Entertainment
Living Stars


"SURVIVOR" buffs


SHOT glasses


EYEWEAR collection


CARIBBEAN figures



MAEY Bautista says she wears wigs and other accessories when playing certain characters.

A globetrotter's souvenirs

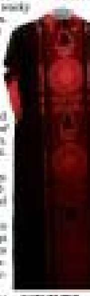
'Survivor' comic Maey Bautista has traveled all over the world, bringing home mementos from each stop


WEARING a replica of the engagement ring of Princess Diana and Kate Middleton

Authentic


FEATHERY boas

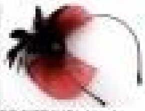
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Souvenirs

Hoarder

More mementos

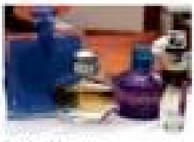

EYE-CATCHING hairband


IMPORTED bag


COLORFUL earrings

Films, shows


BELLY-DANCING accessories


DESIGNER fragrances


FIVE-FINGER running shoes

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CROWDS PACK SM CITY SAN FERNANDO OPENING



SM City San Fernando is the 48th SM Supermall and is the third in Pampanga after SM City Pampanga and SM City Clark.



SM Prime Holdings President Hans T. Sy welcomes the first wave of shoppers at the newly opened SM City Pampanga.



Pampanga Governor Lilia "Baby" Pineda (center) and San Fernando Mayor Oscar Rodriguez share honors during the ribbon cutting ceremony of SM City Pampanga together with Archbishop Paciano Aniceto and Board Members Ric Yabut and Raul Macalino. SM Prime Holdings president Hans T. Sy, Mrs. Felicidad T. Sy, and SM Supermarket president Herbert T. Sy join them.

Kapampangans again gave SM a warm welcome, as crowds packed SM City San Fernando when it opened its doors to the public last Friday, July 20, 2012. Not even the overcast skies and rainy weather could stop shoppers from quickly filling up the mall as soon as SM Prime Holdings President Hans T. Sy -- in the SM tradition -- opened the doors to welcome the first wave of customers.

SM City San Fernando is SM Prime's 48th mall, and the third in Pampanga after the phenomenal opening of SM City Pampanga in 2000, and SM City Clark in 2006.

The new mall is a testament to SM's close ties to the Kapampangans, as well as its confidence in San Fernando's booming economy. Known as the Christmas Capital of the Philippines, San Fernando's strategic location within the Manila-Clark-Subic Economic Triangle makes it a growing agro-industrial commercial metropolis. It is also the regional center of Central Luzon, and home to regional offices of government line agencies.

No less than Pampanga Governor Lilia Pineda and San Fernando Mayor Oscar Rodriguez were the guests of honor during the blessing the day before together with Archbishop Paciano Aniceto and Board Members [illegible], Ric Yabut, [illegible], Fritzie Dizon and Raul Macalino. SM officials led by Mrs. Felicidad T. Sy, SM Prime Holdings president Hans T. Sy, and Supermarket President Herbert T. Sy welcomed them.

Located on a 7,839 square meter site in V. Tiomico Street in Barangay Santo Rosario, the seven-storey 32,635 square meter mall will bring SM's shopping, leisure, and entertainment excitement closer to San Fernando's Heritage District.

The Heritage District's rich tradition was taken in consideration in SM City San Fernando's design. The mall's façade was designed to blend with the district's historic buildings, while creating a lively shopping center that reflects SM's groundbreaking approach to retail. It also highlights SM's commitment to the environment for using sustainable materials.

The main mall entrance leads to a series of steps, with ramps and a sculpted ceiling creating an alluring experience. The mall's major retail anchors, the SM Department Store and SM Supermarket, are strategically located at the ground floor for easy access. SM specialties like the SM Appliance Center, ACE Hardware, and Watsons, as well as fashion boutiques, an IT Zone, beauty and wellness shops, and service outlets will enhance the shopping experience.

Mall-goers can enjoy eating out options from major national and international chains, while three state of the art cinemas will serve as the focal point of the indoor entertainment area.

A three level parking garage located above the four-storey shopping center provides generous parking. For customer convenience, the parking structure is integrated into the overall design with a service and dock area located along Consunji Street.

SM City San Fernando's design team includes Arch. Robert [illegible], Consultant, [illegible] Garcia Architect of Records, [illegible], General Contractor; and SM ARCDEV Project Manager.



The mall is designed with big colorful spindles in blue, orange, yellow, and green hanging in the ceiling.



Good entertainment comes to San Fernando with the mall's cinemas.



Bright yellow colors light up SM Cinemas lobbies.

SM HOMEWORLD GOES TO SAN FERNANDO

With Pampanga known as the Culinary Capital of the Philippines, Kapampangans are known for their love of the good food and the good life. And the opening of the new SM Store's Homeworld Department brings an exciting assortment of cookware and dinnerware closer to residents of San Fernando's Heritage District. Check these out at the SM Homeworld Section at all SM Department Stores, including the newly opened store at SM City San Fernando.

WHAT'S COOKING AT SM HOMEWORLD

The kitchen is said to be a very important place in the Kapampangan household. It is where sumptuous meals are prepared and where many of the family members gather. This has not changed in today's fast paced world modern cookware not only help us prepare delicious meals while helping us save precious time and energy.



Chef's Classics Rose Magenta Sauce Pan by Mitchie has a hi-performance pro-base and concentric heat diffusion features.



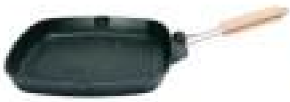
Red Mini Fry Pan by Chef's Classics by Sunrise with generic non-stick coating, easy clean silicon painted exterior, and an ergonomic stay cool bakelite handle.



Cook in style with this Chef's Classics frying pan from the Sampaguita series with brightly colored leafs design.



Easy clean Teflon square shaped grill pan from Chef's Classics Sampaguita series.



Grill pan by Chef's Classics with ILAG non stick Swiss coating.



Non stick frypan with glass lid for easy cooking.



This non stick Sauce Pan is perfect for people who are in a hurry to make sauce or reheat some leftovers.



Non stick casserole with glass lid.



This classic Wok with glass lid is great in cooking stir fry and Chinese cuisine.



Hosh Jolet 28cm chafing dish

ENTERTAINING IN STYLE

Gathering around the dinner table with family and friends is an essential part of the Kapampangan lifestyle. Make your every celebration and family gathering special with SM Homeworld's Hosh dinnerware collection. Whether it is as formal dinner or a casual get together, Hosh dinnerware has elegant as well as playful designs to make this a memorable experience.



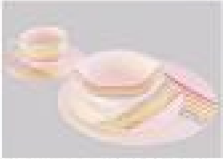
Edinsbury dinnerware set with rainbow colored stripes pattern



Blackrock, a 30-piece dinnerware set by Hosh includes dinner plates, soup bowls, breakfast plates and cup and saucer.



Elegantly designed Stenton dinnerware set by Hosh



Birmingham dinnerware set by Hosh. Set includes dinner plate, soup bowl, breakfast plate, cup and saucer



Rochdale dinnerware set by Hosh. Set includes dinner plate, soup bowl, breakfast plate, cup and saucer



Southport dinnerware set with playful polka patterns.



KEEPING KIDS HEALTHY WITH WATSONS PHARMACY



The opening of the Watsons store at SM City San Fernando brings beauty, health and personal care closer to residents of Pampanga's Heritage District.

This comes just in time for the rainy season, when sudden changes in weather make kids more prone to the common colds and flu, or even more serious illnesses like dengue and typhoid fevers. Kids are also more exposed to germs and viruses now that they are back in school. This can have serious consequences since their immune system, which helps the body fight off these germs, have not yet been fully developed. Here are some healthy tips for kids from Watsons Pharmacy:

• Kids need a diet rich in immunity-boosting nutrients, such as vitamin C and carotenoids, to help build their resistance. These include lots of green leafy vegetables like spinach, broccoli, and beans, as well as fruits like oranges and strawberries.
• Boost your child's immunity with multivitamins and supplements to compensate for any nutritional gaps in his diet.
• Ensure that your child gets enough sleep each night as lack of this weakens the immune system and makes kids more susceptible to illnesses. Sleep also enables the body to develop and function properly, as well as to repair and re-energize. Preschoolers need about 10 hours of sleep per day while older kids need at least 8 hours.
• Promote an active lifestyle for kids to strengthen their muscles, aid in their body's proper function, and reduce the risk of becoming obese. Engage in fun family activities, such as biking, dancing and basketball, as well as exercise routines.
• Teach them the habit of washing hands often to reduce the risk of catching germs.
• Dengue is one dangerous illness that comes during the rainy season. Protect your kids against this mosquito-borne disease by dressing them in protective clothes, and using citronella oil-based mosquito repellents when going outside. Also, be alert to its symptoms, and call your doctor immediately for treatment to prevent complications.



ACE HARDWARE OPENS AT SM CITY SAN FERNANDO



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Kapampangans can now shop for their home improvement needs closer to home with the opening of the new ACE Hardware store at SM City San Fernando.

Located at the mall's Ground Floor, [illegible] the new ACE Hardware store is a haven for home improvement enthusiasts [illegible]

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Power tools from Bill and Black and Decker.



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THE SM APPLIANCE CENTER LIFESTYLE GOES TO SAN FERNANDO

With Pampanga as the site of the former United States Air Force Base, Kapampangans have long enjoyed the convenience of home innovations. And the opening of a new SM Appliance Center store at SM City San Fernando brings the widest selections from the best brands at affordable prices closer to residents of the Heritage District.

Located at the mall's Second Floor, the more than 800 square meters store offers high performance entertainment and cooling systems, as well as kitchen appliances and electronic gadgets that are top of the line investments with economical and eco-friendly features.

Shopping at the new SM Appliance store is a breeze with its themed sections of appliances that will help you easily find the items you need and product demonstrations to understand the usage and functions of each items.



The newly opened SM Appliance Center store is located at the Second Floor of SM City San Fernando.

Over the years, SM Appliance Center has lived up to its commitment to provide quality home appliances and superb service. It renders excellent customer service before, during, and after sales. When you shop at SM Appliance Center, you have the assurance that you're getting the best products your money can buy.

Create a new and exciting lifestyle for your family at the newly opened SM Appliance Center store at the Second Floor of SM City San Fernando, Pampanga. You may also visit our website at smappliance.com.

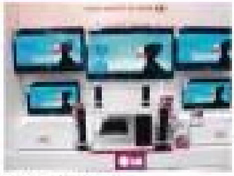
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This slim Samsung Smart TV Series 8 provides a more natural and intuitive option for controlling and interacting with the TV with its Motion Control, Voice Control and Face Recognition commands.



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Shoppers at the newly opened SM Appliance Center at SM City Fernando can Shop, Win and Play while enjoying the best brands at the best prices until August 5, 2012. Every P1,000 single or accumulated purchase from the SM Appliance Center entitles one to a raffle coupon and a chance to win one of twenty (20) Haier Side By Side Refrigerators and one (1) of two (2) Suzuki Swift cars for the Grand Prize. You can triple your chances of winning when you use your BPI Credit Card.

The store also has many day specials for selected washers, cameras, and TV LED and Plasma TVs. Camera enthusiasts can also enjoy gifts with every purchase like a free 16 GB SD Card plus tripod when you buy Canon EOS 1100D Black camera or Canon EOS 1000 Kit at 12 months installment with 0% interest.

WHAT'S IN STORE AT SM SAN FERNANDO

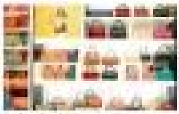


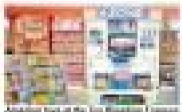


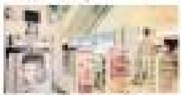


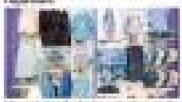












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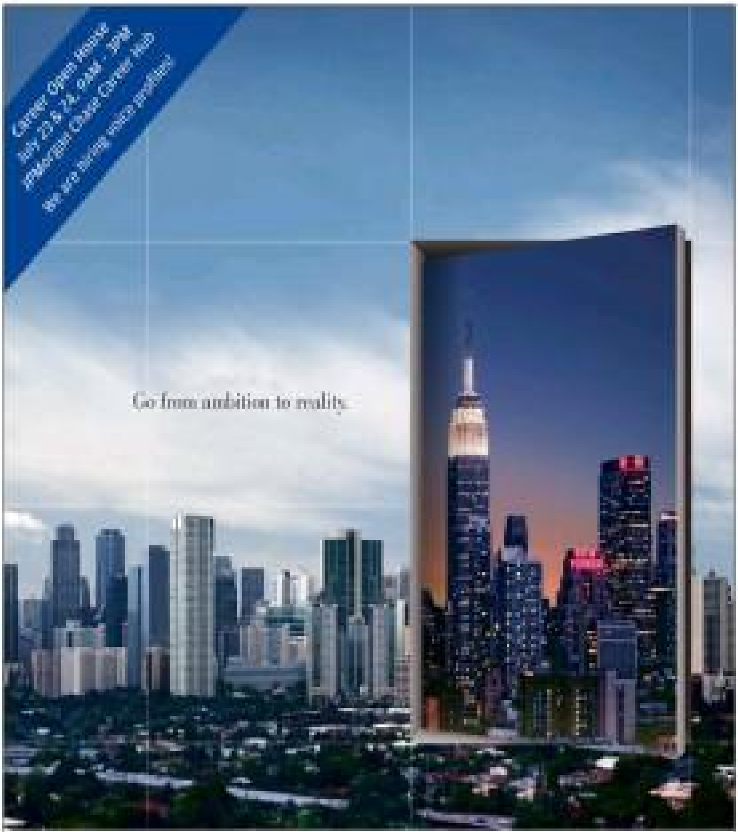
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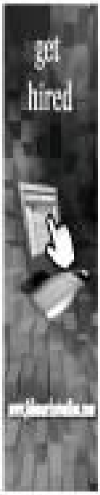
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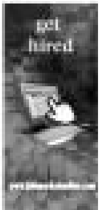


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Revised LC Rules for Bankers, Exporters and Importers

THE CENTER FOR Global Best Practices (www.cgbp.org) in collaboration with the International Chamber of Commerce will hold a special seminar entitled "Revised Rules on Letters of Credit Transactions: UCP 600 & ISBP" on Thursday and Friday, August 9 & 10, 2012, from 9:00am to 5:00pm at the Edsa Shangri-La Hotel, Mandaluyong City. The program aims to update bankers, exporters, importers, ... and lawyers in the practice of commercial law and dispute resolution on the major changes to LC rules that took effect globally on July 1, 2007. This once-every two-years event which is normally held in other countries gives an opportunity to those who wish to attend the seminar in the Philippines at one-fifth of the cost if one were to attend the program overseas. For details and a complete list of seminars, you may log on to www.cgbp.org. You may also call at (02) 556-8968/69 or Cebu lines at (032) 331-3308 & 07, Baguio (074) 423-5744.

The program will feature Singapore-based expert, Victor Tan, an authority in the field of trading and banking, with 15 years of banking experience covering areas of international trade finance, remittances, guarantees, import and export. He will teach attendees everything there is to know about the new LC rules, its applications through best practice cases, tips on how to avoid pitfalls, remedies and what to do in case of problems arising from improper documentation, and negotiation policies advantageous to businessmen using LCs.



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AMADO HERO P. CABRAL

The above-mentioned person has been terminated for cause and is no longer connected with Pepsi-Cola Products Philippines, Inc.

Warrants of Arrest have been issued by the Regional Trial Court of Pasig City, Branch 155 and by the Metropolitan Trial Court of Pasig City, Branch 72 against the above-mentioned person.

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December 9, 1946 – July 20, 2012

now peacefully rests in the infinite grace and goodness of the Lord on the 20th day of July, 2012 at the age of 65

Beloved son of Capt. Oliver S. Victoriano, P.N. (Ret.) and Magdalena G. Victoriano

His loving wife Wilhelmina; children Eric, Roslin and Alodia; grandchild [illegible]; sisters [illegible] and [illegible]; brother Oliver Jr.; father-in-law; brothers-in-law; sisters-in-law; nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends request the pious readers to pray for the eternal repose of his soul.

His remains lie in state at La Funeraria [illegible] Chapel, [illegible] St., [illegible], Cavite.

Interment will be at the [illegible] Cavite City.

"Come and let us return to the Lord; for He has torn, but He will heal us; He has stricken, but He will bind us up."
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DEATH NOTICE

ESPERANZA LORENZO MEDINA

of Sta. Mesa, Manila

died at the age of [illegible] on July 20, 2012.

Her body lies in state at [illegible] Santiago Funeral Homes, [illegible], Antipolo City.

Interment will be on July 25, 2012 at Loyola Memorial Park, Marikina City.

Dr. LYDIA CRUZ TEJARIO

passed away on July 19, 2012 at the age of 83.

Her remains lie in state at the St. Peter Chapel in Quezon Avenue, Quezon City.

Cremation will be on Tuesday, July 24, 2012 at 12 noon.

"To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven." - Ecclesiastes 3:1

(Ret.) Fiscal Rodolfo T. Mata

peacefully joined his Creator on July 19, 2012 at the age of 82.

His bereaved wife, **Judge Eustolia Joaquino Mata**, children, **Rowel & Cherry, Euney & Greg**, grandchildren **Gina, Grail** and **Eugenie**, request for prayers for the eternal repose of his soul.

His remains lie in state at the St. Peter's Funeral Chapels, Dipolog City. There will be an evening mass daily at 7:30.

Interment will be on July 23, 2012, Monday, at Dipolog City Roman Catholic Cemetery after the celebration of the 2:00 p.m. mass at Our Lady of Fatima Parish Church, Turno, Dipolog City.

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On the 6th Death Anniversary of

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July 22, 2012

Her loving children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives, friends, brothers, sisters and The University of Manila community request your presence in the celebration of the Holy Mass.

TO BE HELD AT:

San Sebastian Parish .... *7:00 A.M.*
St. Anthony's Shrine .... *5:45 A.M.*
Our Lady of Loreto .... *6:15 A.M.*
St. Jude Archdiocesan Shrine .... *6:30 A.M.*
Sto. Domingo Convent .... *6:15 A.M.*
Our Mother of Perpetual Help .... *6:00 A.M.*
National Shrine of St. Michael & the Archangels .... *8:00 A.M.*
Minor Basilica of the Black Nazarene .... *6:00 A.M.*
Santisima, Rosario Parish (UST) .... *6:00 A.M.*
Abbey of Our Lady of Montserrat .... *7:00 A.M.*
Sta. Cruz Church .... *9:00 A.M.*

**I am the way, the truth and the life.
No one comes to the Father except through Me.
— John 14:6**

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Matthew 10:39

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NOTICE OF FILING OF APPLICATION FOR ALIEN EMPLOYMENT PERMIT (AEP)

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A fave Dutch potato snack gets a Pinoy makeover

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Sun Cellular makes Prepaid Loads Available on all Cebuana Lhuillier Branches Nationwide



Sun Cellular has made available its selection of Sun prepaid loads to all Cebuana Lhuillier Pawnshop branches nationwide.

"With the continuous rise of our subscriber base all over the country, we have to do what we can to improve the availability of our prepaid loads. This is also in line with the massive network expansion that the company is focusing on right now," says Michele P. Curran, Vice President for Sun Business Marketing.

After the company's acquisition by the PLDT Group, Sun Cellular has begun further intensifying its network coverage.

"This partnership with Cebuana Lhuillier fits the bill perfectly. The amount of Cebuana Lhuillier branches nationwide gives our prepaid subscribers the freedom to go anywhere in the country without ever compromising their connectivity requirements," adds Curran.

Cebuana Lhuillier has over 1500 branches all over the Philippines, and is now among the hundreds of thousands of Sun Cellular product retailers.

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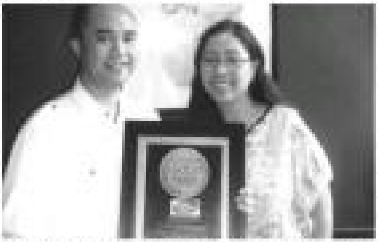
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Shopping Alley A LIFESTYLE GUIDE

Glamming up without gouging your paycheck

By Marlen Salazar

Applying makeup can be tricky especially to those who are just starting to understand the basics. It's supposed to be a fun task but can sometimes yield disastrous results. While women don't have to be experts, knowing some essential pointers when purchasing or applying makeup would go a long, long way.

Experts at Avon, a global beauty company, offer some helpful tips when choosing cosmetics, and consequently stretch the purchasing power of your peso.

1. Light shades can keep a look fresh and clean. Simple makeup during the day is the way to go. A more dramatic look is especially reserved for evening functions. Use Avon Healthy Makeup BB Cream for a day look. It acts as a tinted moisturizer and sunscreen. It is infused with vitamins and natural extracts that keep skin nourished, energized, and protected from environmental damage. It also acts as a good base—providing coverage and blending easily to conceal blemishes or imperfections.

2. Women should not feel bad when using a concealer. It doesn't mean that something is wrong with you. It just helps hide dark circles around the eyes and some spots on the face. Avon's Ideal Luminous Dual Powder Foundation and Concealer can help women achieve that naturally radiant look.

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AVON Healthy Makeup BB Cream



AVON SuperMagnify Mascara

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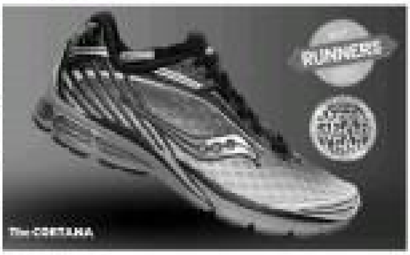
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